

Abdi Omar's Top Tips for AAC Awareness

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Top Tip no.1

"Let your students have their communication aid as much as possible.
Living without a voice is very difficult to live with."

Top Tip no.2

"Let your students explore their communication aids.
Practice will help."

Top Tip no.3

"Have patience when working with communication aid beginners.
Making mistakes is good. It means they are trying."

Top Tip no.4

"Do you talk to people behind them? No!
Always stand where an AAC user can see you (in front or beside)"

Top Tip no.5

"When working with an advanced AAC user push them!"

Top Tip no.6

"Everyone has bad days sometimes. Don't force an AAC user to use their device.
Try doing what they like."

Top Tip no.7

"It's your mission to bring out your students' best so sometimes you must think creatively."

Top Tip no.8

"Try every AAC device possible as what might work for one student might not work for another."

Top Tip no.9

"Believe in your students and they will feel more confident in class."

Top Tip no.10

"Don't be afraid to push your AAC students as they could have countless abilities."



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